Repair of Defence Roads in Assam

3865. SHRI UDDHAB BARMAN: Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether some of the roads are taken over by the Defence Authority in the State of Assam for repairs and maintenance;

(b) if so, the names of the roads;

(c) whether the conditions of such roads in the districts of Cochar, Karimganj and Haila Kandi are in very bad shape;

(d) if so, the reasons therefor; and

(e) the steps proposed to be taken for the maintenance/repairs of these roads?

THE MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI SHARAD PAWAR): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The names of the roads entrusted for repairs and maintenance are:–

1. Samthaibari – Gurubhasa – Hatisar
2. Silchar – Lailapur – Aizwal
3. Jawai – Badarpur – Agartala
4. Silchar – Jiribam – Badarpur

(ii) Roads entrusted only for repairs:

1. Lumding – Lanka
2. Udharband – Jatinga – Mahur

(c) and (d). No, Sir.

(e) Does not arise.

Market Development Assistance Scheme

3866. SHRIMATI RITA VERMA:
SHRI BALRAJ PASSI:
SHRI ANNA JOSHI:
SHRIMATI DIPIKA H. TOPIWALA:

Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

(a) the details of assistance provided by the Union Government to the handloom organisations under the Market Development Assistance Scheme for handloom cloth during 1990–91 and 1991–92, State-wise; and

(b) the number of units benefited under the Scheme during the above period, State-wise?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF TEXTILES (SHRI ASHOK GEHLOT): (a) and (b). The State-wise details of assistance provided by the Union Government in 1990–91 and 1991–92 to the handloom organisations and the number for units benefited are given below: